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DATABASE FOR MANAGING
MANUFACTURING ENGINEERING
INFORMATION, RECORDING
MEDIUM RECORDING PROGRAM
THEREOF, AND SYSTEM THEREFOR

Art Unit : 3627

Examiner : S. McAllister


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Dated: August 9, 2004

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This is responsive to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2004,
the term for response to which expires on August 18, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claim 6 is amended;
claims 2-4 and 8 are maintained; and claims 1, 5, 7 and 9-15 are
canceled.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.